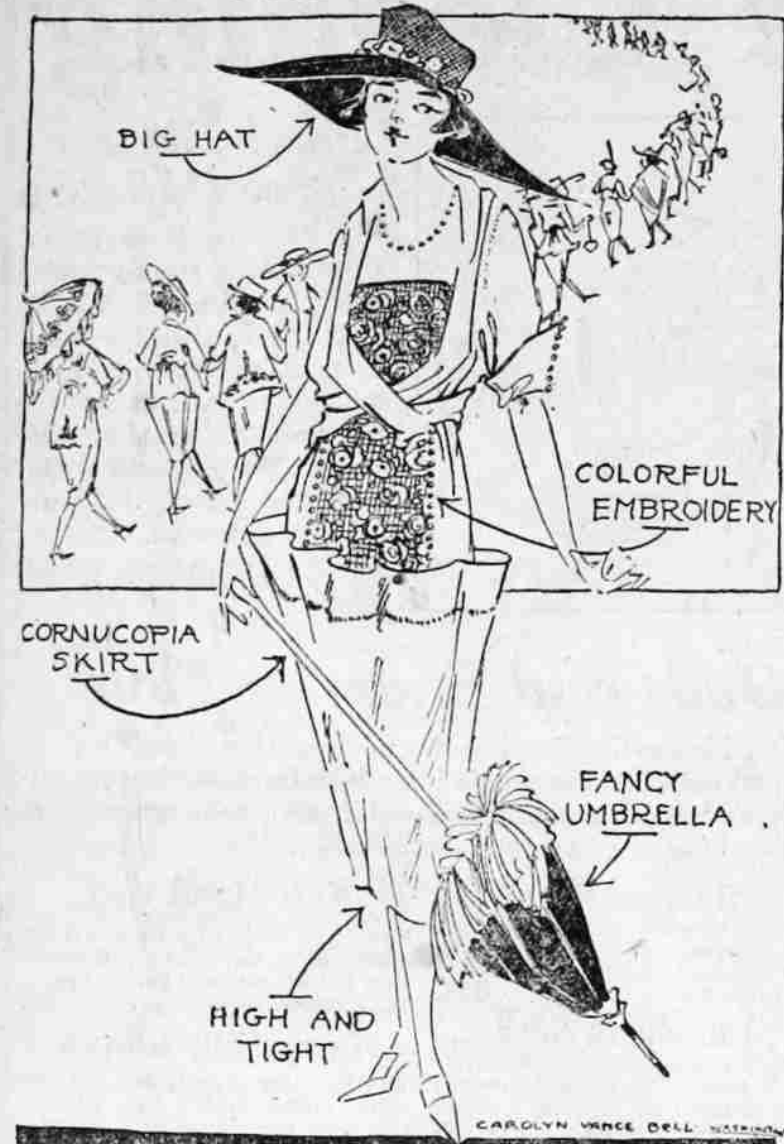


Woman's Page

GOING UP! KNEES TO BE FIRST STOP FOR SUMMER SKIRTS



The life of the long tight skirt will be the shortest on record. If femininity in general obeys the mandate of fashion, as no doubt it will, slaves of fashion they glory in their servility. One short season and the long tight skirts must give way to the still tight but short slaters.

It's time for the bowlegged girl to weep. She looked upon the long tight skirt as a friend in need, ready to shield her from the ridicule of a cold, hard world.

The summer will be a hopeless

season for the bowlegged girl. Then the knockkneed girl will have her innings.

A knockkneed style of locomotion is about to be introduced with the new skirts and the world is awaiting the genius who will dub the new walk with a name!

The hobbled ones of today needs must take the chain that joins their ankles together to keep them from splitting the long tight skirts and clasp it around their knees to serve the same purpose for their new short—and still tight skirts.

Dictates of Fashion

Coat linings are bright in color and rich in material.

Most suit coats show the normal shoulder and armhole.

Blouses are rather elaborate and usually match the suit.

Sometimes blue gabardine of two shades is used in a suit.

Tricotee is better liked than ever.

Taffeta is used for the newest coats.

Voile linings are suggested for coats.

Once again elaborate jewels are in favor.

Side panels are a feature in skirt trappings.

Embroidery will for the present be less used.

Children's Rooms

Much thought and care should be given to the furnishing of the child's bedroom. Environment, it has long since been granted, has a most potent influence upon a child's development, and the major part of his early life is spent in these two rooms.

It should therefore be kept in mind in arranging this environment that it should minister to the child's highest

development in good health, good spirit and good taste.

Taking for granted an airy, sunny room, with a floor that is easily kept clean, let us begin to furnish it. First, it is well to keep the wall a plain background, for many reasons, and it should be a cheery, restful color, such as soft yellow, pale dull green, dull rose, buff or if the room is very sunny, gray. In color, it may be almost any soft, restful color that does not brand itself on the child's eye.

A suggestion that seems worth consideration is that, although certain good pictures hang with a degree of permanence in a child's room there should be exchanges made from time to time and a new one placed there to give the child's interest some fresh stimulation.

Hints to Housewife

A damp woolen cloth will pick up small pieces of broken glass.

Use glass bottles and wooden knives and forks in preparation of pickles.

Egg beaters should never soak in water, as the oil will be washed off the gears.

When cleaning greasy utensils wipe off the worst of the grease with soft paper first.

Oysters can be broiled in a toaster over a charcoal fire, and served with lemon and cayenne.

To make frosting deliciously creamy

add a pinch of baking powder to sugar before boiling.

A delicious currant jelly sauce for ham is made of butter, currant jelly, cayenne and sherry.

Boil a perspiration stained garment in water in which you have put a little washing soda.

OIL TO WASH COMBS

When washing black combs, brushes and trays, try rubbing a little olive oil into them after washing them. This will prevent their turning gray and streaked.

TWO TIPS

Although cotton crepe waists are not supposed to be ironed, they are greatly improved if laid on a thick Turkish towel and the edges pressed with a warm (not hot) iron.

Keep two or three fruit jar rubbers about the refrigerator. Lay one of them on top of the ice to set your plate or dish on. The latter will not slide off.

APPETIZING

Cucumbers for sandwiches should be mixed with a French dressing seasoned with onion juice and parsley.

NEW NECKLINE

The round neckline with flat collars and other neck decorations are being shown in new blouse.

A REPAIR HINT

When a hole or tear comes in a ready made skirt and there is no material like it from which to draw threads to mend it, get a piece of wool dress braid the same color, draw threads from this; darn carefully, dampen and press on both sides, using paper or cloth over it.

EVENING DRESSINESS

Bright colored picot ribbons are seen on some of the new style tulle gowns.

Taffetas trimmed with silver tulle are combined in party and dance frocks.

Fluffy effects are favored for the younger set in chiffons and tulle.

Espionage Work To Be Done by Private Persons

WASHINGTON, March 31.—Private organizations offering to continue during peace the espionage work undertaken during the war to protect the public safety were informed today by Attorney General Palmer that the department of justice would not recognize them or have any connection with them, official or semi-official.

"Espionage conducted by private individuals or organizations," Mr. Palmer said in announcing his decision, "is entirely at variance with our theories of government and its operation in any community constitutes a grave menace to that feeling of public confidence which is the chief force making for the maintenance of good order."

Appreciation of the "patriotic and high-minded motives," actuating the offers, was expressed by the attorney general. The traditional policy of the department which caused refusal of the tendered services was explained in the following statement:

"During the past two months my department has received communications from a number of private organizations calling attention to the fact that they have been formed for the purpose of systematically detecting violation of law and courteously offering to supply the department of justice with information of this character gathered by them."

"It will be impossible for my department to have any connection, official or semi-official, with these organizations. This department well comes at all times information which is germane to its work from whatever source it may come. It has been the traditional policy of this department, however, grounded on sound reasons, not to confer its sanction upon private organizations and not to establish with them any relations of an official or semi-official character."

"The only exception to this long-established policy, if it can be called an exception, was the formation during the war of the American Protective League, which was organized with the approval of the attorney general and operated under the direct supervision of the bureau of investigation of this department. During the war there was need for such an organization auxiliary to this department and the members of the American Protective League rendered service of the greatest value. Nevertheless, my predecessor, Attorney Gen. Gregory, requested that this organization be disbanded and, in conformance to his wishes, it went out of existence on February 1. It was his view, in which I heartily concur, that no organization even of this type should receive official recognition from this department in times of peace."

"Espionage conducted by private individuals or organizations is entirely at variance with our theories of government and its operation in any community constitutes a grave menace to that feeling of public confidence which is the chief force making for the maintenance of good order. Furthermore, on reflection, it must be obvious to every one that for a government agency to maintain any relationship whatever with private bodies engaged in this work would in the end result in impairing the confidence of the public in the disinterestedness and impartiality of government investigations."

"I fully realize the patriotic and high-minded motives with which these organizations have been formed and which have animated them in making proffers of assistance to this department, but I am constrained to say frankly that I fear the work of these private organizations may produce harmful results. I, therefore, feel compelled to instruct the various officials of this department not to enter into relationship with them."

Yes, Rafael, the other half has to live on what the better half is able to cook.

ATLANTIC FLEET TO SAIL FOR N. Y. NEXT SATURDAY

WASHINGTON, March 31.—Upon completion of its annual winter maneuvers at Guantanamo Bay, Cuba, the Atlantic fleet of dreadnaughts, destroyers and auxiliaries will sail next Saturday for New York and will remain in the North river from April 15 to 30 so as to give the crews shore leave.

Leaving New York May 1, the fleet will proceed to Hampton Roads for gunnery and other exercises which will hold it there and at Yorktown until late in June when it will disperse to reach designated ports by June 27. The battleship force will go to New York and remain in the North river over July 4. It will then join the entire fleet, which will assemble at Newport, R. I.

An announcement today by the navy department said the vessels of the fleet would be considered available for docking after April 30, but that none of the battleships would be laid up for extensive work until the navy yards were ready to proceed with work made necessary by a revision of the reports of the fire control and turret boards, which will be made in April.

Battle inspection will be held while the fleet is proceeding from New York to Hampton Roads and fleet tactical exercises will be held from May 11 to 17. Gunnery exercises will occupy the week following and the ships then will return to Hampton Roads for a week so the crews can have recreation. Fleet tactics, gunnery and engineering performances will occupy the battle ship force from June 1 to 21 and it will then go to sea for maneuvers before assembling at New York.

Gunnery exercises of vessels that go to navy yards will be held while the other ships are in Hampton Roads for recreation for the men or at such other times.

CANADIANS TO RETURN

OTTAWA, March 31.—Arrangements have been made for the return of the Canadian expeditionary forces in Siberia, it was announced in the house of commons today by Minister of Militia Newburn, in reply to a question. The date is being kept secret by request of the British government.

SPECTACULAR MAYORALTY RACE COMES TO END

CHICAGO, March 31.—One of the most spectacular mayoralty campaigns in Chicago's political history will come to a close tonight. Because of the somewhat tangled situation, political observers and party leaders were hazy on guesses as to the probable outcome of tomorrow's election.

Mayor William Hale Thompson, Republican, and Robert M. Switzer, Democrat, who opposed each other four years ago when Thompson won by a plurality of 148,000, have been fighting the battle over again.

This year, however, the campaign has been made even more interesting by the entrance of Maclay Hoyne, Democratic states attorney, as an independent candidate by petition.

The situation is further complicated by John Fitzpatrick, president of the Chicago Federation of Labor, who is entered as the candidate of the recently organized Chicago Labor party. The other candidates are John M. Collins, Socialist, and Adolph S. Carm, Socialist labor.

With a total registration of nearly 795,977 men and more it is certain that the vote will be the largest ever cast at a mayoralty election.

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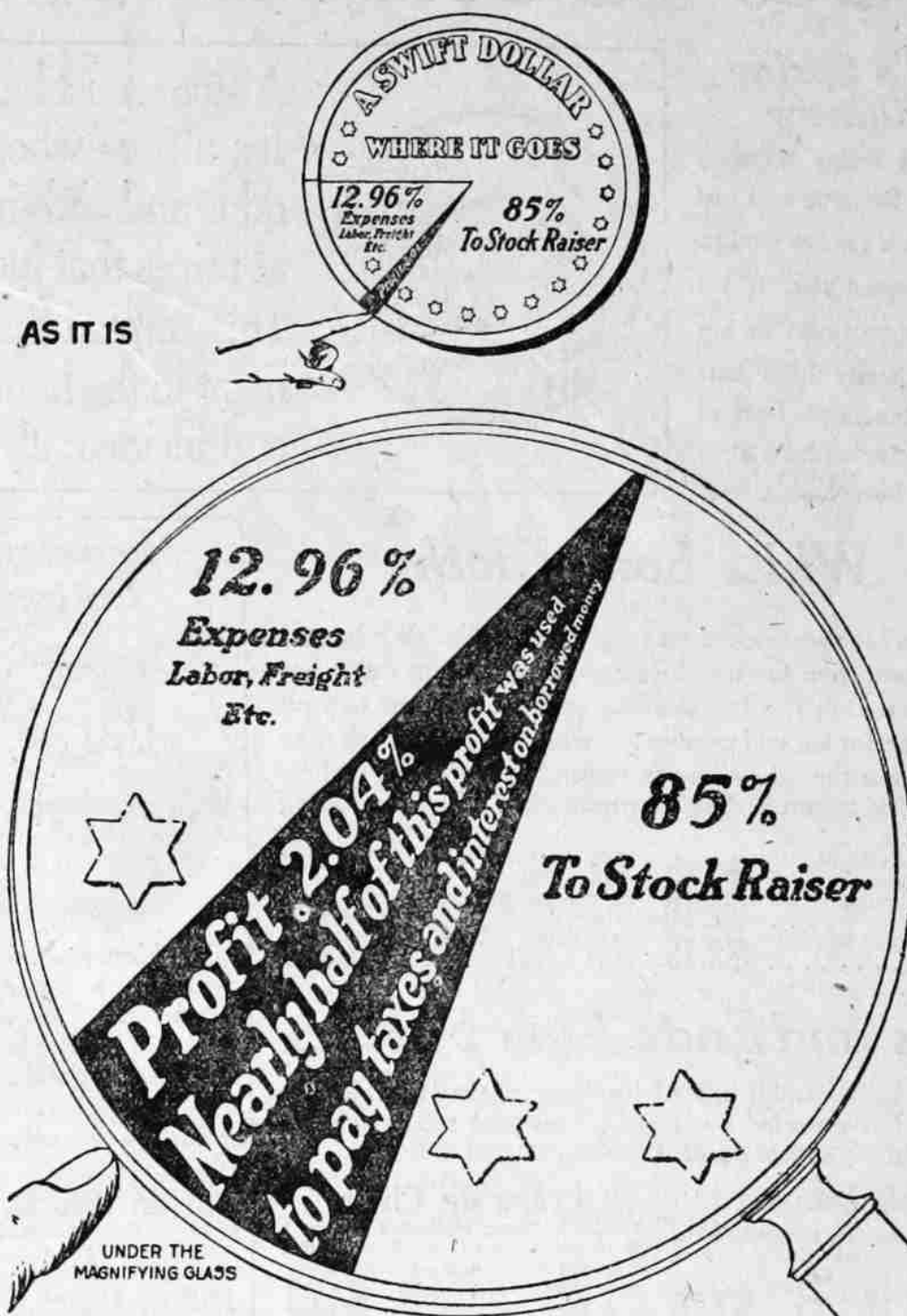
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PLAIN CITY FARMERS TO RAISE PEAS AND TOMATOES

Plain City farmers held a meeting last night at which they discussed the proposals to raise peas and tomatoes on a large scale this season. It is believed that enough acreage will be obtained to warrant the placing of vinery by the Van Allen Canning corporation in that district and also to justify a receiving station for tomatoes for the Utah Packing company to supply the West Weber cannery.

The Van Allen company agreed to place the vinery in the district in case 100 acres were obtained for peas and the farmers believe this condition will be easily met.

FRANKIE FLEMING WINS

MONTREAL, March 31.—"Frankie" Fleming, Canadian featherweight champion, outpointed "Gus" Lewis of Buffalo, here tonight, in a ten-round bout. On several occasions Lewis saved himself from a knockout by clinching.

Reed Desires a Debate With Taft or Sen. Hitchcock

KANSAS CITY, March 31.—In a letter tonight to a committee of the St. Louis branch of the League to Enforce Peace, United States Senator James A. Reed of Missouri, suggested that a debate on the proposed league of nations be arranged between William H. Taft and himself on the occasion of Mr. Taft's visit to Missouri in April to speak in favor of the covenant.

In the event Mr. Taft is unable to accept, Senator Reed said he would be willing to debate the subject with Senator Hitchcock, member of the senate committee on foreign relations, of any senator, Republican or Democrat.

Friends of Senator Reed said tonight it was hoped to hold the debate here.

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